

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

BESTWAY INFLATABLES & MATERIAL
CORP.,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE INDIVIDUALS, CORPORATIONS,
LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANIES,
PARTNERSHIPS AND UNINCORPORATED
ASSOCIATIONS IDENTIFIED ON
SCHEDULE A HERETO,

Defendants.

Case No. 23-cv-5556

Judge Charles P. Kocoras

DECLARATION OF MICHAEL A. HIERL

I, Michael A. Hierl, of Chicago, Illinois, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney at law, duly admitted to practice before the Courts of the State of Illinois and the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois. I am one of the attorneys for Plaintiff. Except as otherwise expressly stated to the contrary, I have personal knowledge of the following facts and, if called as a witness, I could and would competently testify as follows.

2. Since and pursuant to entry of the TRO, eBay, PayPal and Payoneer have provided email contact information for all accounts owned by the Defendant Internet Stores found on Schedule A. Settlement discussions are ongoing.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 11th day of September, 2023.

By: s/Michael A. Hierl
Counsel for Plaintiff

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned attorney hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was filed electronically with the Clerk of the Court and served on all counsel of record and interested parties via the CM/ECF system on September 11, 2023.

s/Michael A. Hierl